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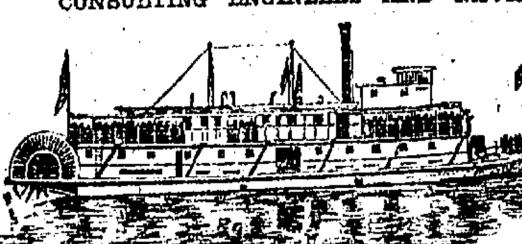
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I herewith enclose a cutting from an American paper, a friend of mine, has sent me (Freeport, Ill., U.S.A.) re Hongkong. My friend (himself an American) writes: \*Just read this clipping which a horrible old country woman of mine had the face to write about our dear old Hongkong ' :--

BY ELIZA B. BCIDMORE Hongkong, Jan. 18 .-- Hongkong is one of the most varied and most picturesque cities in the world. All nations and races are represented in the crowds that throng the areades and roadway of Queen's roada road where only a half dozen horses are even seen, and they small ponies, drawing shuttered gharries that might be rolling in Indian streets. These spendid vehicles belong to Parsee and Chinese opium merchants, who thus display their abun-

All the rest go afoot, or patronize the sedan chair, or the clumay jinrickisha that cannot climb, but stays on the level Queen's road or the seaside prays,

Short waisted Sikh policemen in enormous turbans maintain the severest order, the coolies and vehicles keeping to right and left as uniformly as in London, since the Sikh has a splendid contempt for the Chinese and does not hesitate to use a complete commercial guide to London his billet freely and pull offenders by the queue which seems purposely intended

for corrective treatment One sees nearly every uniform and national costume known to the British empire, it would seem, along the six miles of Hongkong's sea frontage an ethnological museum crowded with living specimens; streets and sidewalks both streaming with

the heterogeneous assemblage. There is a half mile of this road lined with tempting silk, silver, and ourio shops, the latter, alas ! nearly reduced to modern inventions and sorry imitations that do as well for the po ular globe trotter, soldier, and sailor trade. Silver shops are dazzling treasure caves, where every object of Chinese or European use is shown in the white, white Chinese silver-that so scon becomes dark as lead and persistently remains so. But it is fascinating in its freshness, everything ornamented in reponsise, work of a few standard, time honored patterns-the dragon in clouds,

the people in landscapes, the plum blossom, and bamboo. The Japanese curio shop, with its lacquer tables and screens, porcelain and cropers, is consipresent now around the world and finds abundant patronage here as elsewhere. The Japanese photographer is equally in evidence, while every propeller in harbour moves by and every chimney breathes out the smoke of Japanese coal. MEAD OYOLE CO. Dept. 836 G. CHICAGO, U.S.A. and INVERPOOL, ENGLAND.

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cons of the community, Hongkong shared in the boom and prosperity that came to all the east with the China Japan war of 1894. Silver fell and prices rose, hotel charges and rents doubled in a season, until the American occupation

of Manila brought a second boom. Then came the north China disturbances of 1 00, and the transports of six nations, their attendants, fringes, and followers came this way and gave another hoist to prosperity. The leading hotel having resched the brazen demand of twelve, sixteen, and eighteen silver dollars a day for a front room, with board, could go no further, but adroitly quotes its prices in pounds sterling, English, so that one pays by the daily rate of exchange, and no man knows what his next day's board bill will

Even at their exaggerated prices there are no houses to be had, and building is going on wherever one goes on the higher

Servant hire has advanced some, the prices of market products little, however, and to read the Hongkong market reports each day would make an American housekeeper envious. Beef, chickens, eggs, fish, fruit, and vegetables are one-half and onethird the price in American cities, and in all housekeeping no provision is made for 50 the servants. One pays them a fixed wage by the menth and they provide their own food, nor does the employer always lodge

Therefore, one asks the reason for this extravagant charge at the hotels, and finds it only in the greed of the resident Eur-25 opean stockholders, who demand large Twice a Week Lessons, per month 10 dividends and further the advance in rates. Ten per cent is a pitiful return for his investment, the resident thinks, and one hears freely discussed the concerns that pay 30. and 40 per cent. The traveling public, the tourist, and globe trotter are considered 50 legitimate objects of pillage and spolintion, chosen victims for white Hongkong's fleece ing. The tourist may protest and denounce the impudent robbery, but he pays and goes, and other victims crowd in

One hears in Japan, and he hears with more envy in America, of the perfection of Chinese servants, the perfect treasures, whose precise, well ordered, unvarying 50 | aervico makes life all an easy dream, a bed of roses in China. But now, there is a canker in the rose, a crumple in the rose lest, and 346 European women, practically all the housekeepers in Hongkong, hav prayed the acting governor and the council for relief from trials that are too much for human flesh, coupled with climatic condi-

The women refer to the deterioration in the character or the quality of domestic servants, the insolence, indifference, thieving, boycotting and general rescality that make life an insufferable burden to the mistresees of even small establishments. They ask for the compulsory regultration of domestic servants, their taking out of registration papers on which must appear their photographs, records of past services, and reasons for discharge.

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# HONGKONG SHARE REPORT.

In their weekly share report, dated 8th March, Messrs Benjamin, Kelly and Potts state :-

Sinco our last report, the market generally has improved and a considerable business has been transacted, especially in Banks, Indos and Sugars which show a substantial rise on the previous week's quotations.

Banks.-Hongkong and Shanghai Banks have been in strong request throughout the week- and have been taken off the market at rapidly rising rates up to \$640, closing firm. The sterling quotation has further advanced to £63 in London. Nationals remain steady at \$351.

Marine Insurances .- Unions have found buyers at the improved rate of \$475, and ] more shares can be placed. China Traders have been disposed of at \$57. There is no. alteration in the other stocks under this heading.

Fire Insurances. - Hongkong Fires have been bought, and close with further buyers at \$285 and sales of China Fires have been made at \$83, and more shares are wanted.

Shipping. - Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamhoats have gone up to \$277 at which rates shares have changed hands. Indo-Chinas have been negoti ted at rates ranging between 893 and 895. China and Manilas are offering at \$22, and Douglas Steamships have been sold at \$35. Star Ferries (old) have again been fixed at 891 the new shares are quiet at 8164. Shell

Transports can be obtained at \$19/-. Refineries - China Sugara continue on the apward move and shares have been booked at from \$113 up to \$117 at which latter rate there are further enquiries. Luzons are neglected at quotation.

Mining .- Punjoms are weak at \$1. A tolegram has been received from the mines estimating the value of the Murch clean up of a miscellaneous co'lection of 70° tons at \$6,000. Raubs have been dealt in at \$61 and are still on offer. Chinese En gineering are obtainable at Tls. 6

Docks, Wharves and Godowns - Hongkong and Whampon Docks have ruled firm and close of \$2 6. Farnhams have further, risen and sales at Tls. 149 and The. 150 have been effected. Kowloon Wharfs can be placed at \$94 Hongkew Wharfs have do clined to Tls. 165 at which rate shares are

offering in Sh nghai. Lands, Hotels and Buildings. - In Hong kong Lands, there is not business to report. but the market keeps steady at \$145 Shanghai Lands have sellers at Tis. 107. Hongkong Hotels, after sales at \$135, are in the market at \$134. Aster House Hotels are still wanted at \$34 - Humphreys Estate are in demand at \$10 60. Cotton Mills - Nothing has transpired in ;

stocks in this section, Cigar Companies -Sumatras have been done at Tla 50 ex the final dividend of Tla. 3 paid in Shanghai on the 24th altimo. Miscellaneous. -Green Island Cements have been disposed of at \$23 yex the dividend of \$15 pard vesterday A. S. Watsons are wanted after sales at \$14. Watkins can be placed at \$63. Hall and Hoitz have improved to \$30 with sales and further be yers at the rate. Electrics re- ; main at \$13 (old) and \$7 (new). Ropes . have receded to \$140. Campbell Moore having paid their dividend of \$3 for 1903, are now quoted at \$37. Shanghai reports sales of Langkats at Tis. 290.

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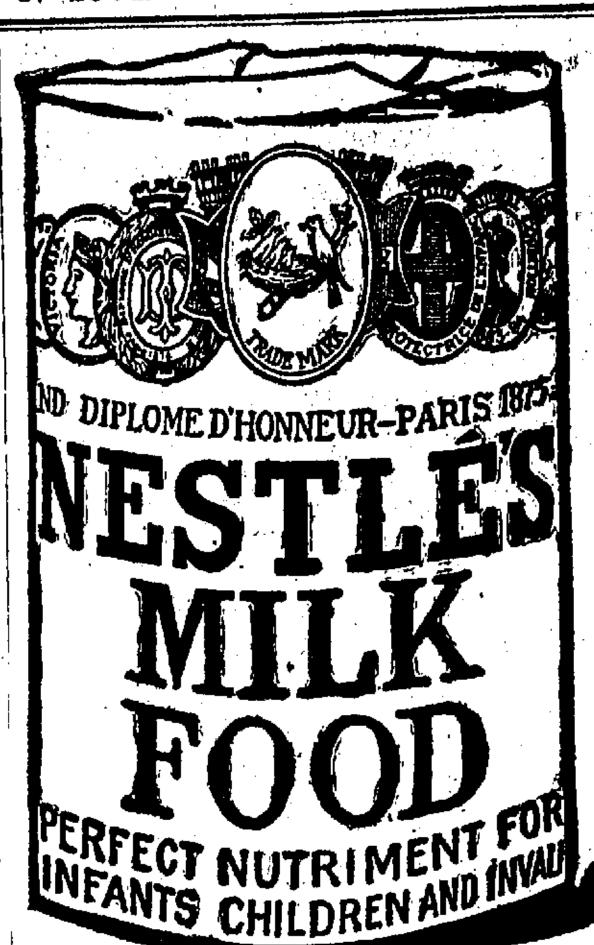
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5.40 p.m. 5 THE GYMEHANA CLUB CHAL-LENGE CUP :- Value S -. (not less than \$200) For all China Pomes W. ight. for inches as per scale. Penalties and allow nos as per Race No. 2. Jockeys' penalties and allowances as per Race No. 1. To be won by the p by scoring most marks in the races for the Cup by the end of the Club's sesson, counting 4 for a first, 2 for a second and 1 for a third. The benefit of marks already scored to pass with the pony on a sale. Any winner of the race to carry 5 lbs. extra for each win in subsequent starts for the Cup; penalties accumulative up to 15 lbs. Five to start or no race. Entrance 35 to go to the purchase of a memento to the winner of each race. One, mile. 5.45 p.m. 6. The 'Primrose' Cup.-

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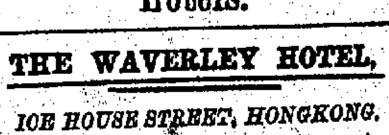
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loods per Annam unclaimed after this date at Noon will be subject to rent and landing charges. Goods per Formosa not cleared at 4 16 in on this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda.

Toksday, April 12 :--5.30 p.m .- Meeting of Hongkong Gun Club at Club Pavilion. Goods per Artemisia undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per Bentawers undelivered after this date subject to rent. Wednesday, April 13:-

11 a.m. - Auction of 49,500 Bags of Fresh Dayton Flour, at 'Sur Yick' Godown West Point. THURSDAY, April 14 :--

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

On the 4th April, at No. 128, Range Road, Shanghai, the wife of C. Gundry, of The Jubilee Road. a Daughter.

On the 3rd March, at St. Mary's Parish Church, Edinburgh, by the Rev. John A. Findlay, assisted by the Rev. G. T. Jamieson, Portobello, Lr. Colonel R. JAMES, I.M.S., 28th Light Cavalry Bangalor, to Jessie Sporriawood, elder daughter of the late James Tait, Amoy, China, and of Mrs Tait, 7, Fettes-row,

On the 2nd April, at the General Hos-pital, Shanghai, John Mossor, eldest son of John Mossop, West End Lane, Hampstead, and eldest grandson of the late Robert Mossop, of Long-Sutton, Lincolnshire, aged 46 years.

The publication of this issue commenced

On the eve of his departure on furlough, | illegally in possession of a gun. the Hon. W. Chatham, Director of Public Works, was able to submit the The Jubilee Hospital. report of his Department for the year 1903. Since he succeeded to his present position at the head of the Public Works Department, Mr Chatham has been successful in overtaking some of adverse criticism upon the Public Works | cost 87500. Department, and it must be conceded that a perusal of the report is sufficient to convince anyone that the Department has plenty to do and that new Law Courts, Markets, Post Office, Harbour Office, and the contemplated Waterworks extensions at Taitamtuk. Some of the figures given by Mr Chatham convey an idea of the magnitude of the Hongkong Waterworks. The total quantity of water supplied during the year was 1,285,574,000 gallons filtered, and 25,403,000 gallons unfiltered, making a grand total of 1,310,977,000 gallons, average consumption of filtered water per day during constant supply was ed here. 4,296,000 gallons, which, with an estimated population of 219,200, gives

Bank Notes in Circulation. The following returns of the average an average daily consumption of 19.6 specie in reserve in Hongkong, during During intermittent supply, the aver-January, are certified by the manaage daily supply was 2,214,000 gallons, gers of the respective Banks :-or 10.1 gallons per head, whilst, taken Banks. over the whole year, the average con-Amount Chartered Bank of Insumption per head per day amounted dia. Australia and to 16 gallons. Fortunately, the year Hongkong and Shangwas not marked by the same shortage as in 1902, with the result that there

hai Banking Corpor-

....13,758,861 8,000,000 National Bank of China, Limited..... 426,607 150,000

to so much discussion in 1902 and 872.88. The first section is now let and 1903. The new work at Taitam has produces \$146.50 per month, while the already been described in detail by second section is lot at \$138.50 per month. us, and also the work at Kowloon. We The first section was bought by Hing Li learn from the present report that the for \$13,160, while the second fell to Hing

recommended by Mr F. A. Cooper in Empress-Dowager of China. The Universal Gazette (Shanghai) is in estimated cost being \$267,000, as well formed that last summer, Prince Chi as additional work bringing the estimatmemorialized the Empress-Downger to have ed cost up to \$319,285.58, of which the another title added to her present ones small balance of \$2635.31 remains to connection with her seventieth birthday. be paid in 1904. The new work inbut Her Majesty declined on the ground cluded service reservoirs at Mount that the Empire was in a precarious condi tion. When autumn came the Prince and the other high officials memorialised the Gough Reservoir has a capacity of Empress-Downger volunteering to contribute 25 per cent, of their annual emolu ments towards a fitting celebration of he birthday, but Her Majesty again declined It is now prophesied that although the usual grace edicts will be promulgated th celebration will be nothing like that of ter years ago. In fact it is whispered that the illumination of the Eho Park will be the only event to commemorate the occasion At the same time a number of Palace off cials are still hoping to curich themselves

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Note by the Way.

The French Mail of the 8th March as delivered in London on the 7th April. lee Road was \$115,272.27, including a sum of \$524.25 contributed by the Government.

of Muddy Flats was celebrated at Shanghai by a Volunteer Ball on the 4th inst.

The appointment of Mr J. Whattall as lay member of the Church Body, vice Mr R. T. Wright, resigned, is gazetted.

Messrs Francis Ward, Thomas Abley, The usual devotional meeting will be David McHardy, and William Cameron are held on Monday evening at 5.15 in the appointed Inspectors under the Sale room of the Union, Beaconsfield Arcade, Food and Drugs Ordinance 1896. and will be conducted by the Rev. W. E.

A notification appears in the Government Gazette appointing Mr Henry Thomas Jackman and Mr Alfred Carter to discharge the duties of Sanitary Surveyor during the Huber was concluded yesterday, when absence of Mr J. J. Bryan. Huber was fined \$40 for the assault, was

bound over in \$100 to keep the peace for In the course of 1903, the number of three months and was fined \$1 for being street lumps in Kowloon was increased from 186 to 201. This increase was due principally to extensions of the built-over areas. On the Island, there were 14 addi-From the report for 1903 on the Public | tions-6 being in Conduit Road. Works Department by the Hon. W. Cha-

tham, Director of Public Works, it appears the Government contribution amounting Department in Hongkong. Mr Mossop the arrears of work which had brought to \$3342.43. The preparation of the site came out to Hongkong to supervise the his stay here made himself exceedingly Plan for Increasing China's Revenue. popular with a large circle of friends. The Peking correspondent of the an officer in the Volunteer Corps he took Shanghai Mercury writes :- Sir Robert considerable interest in the shooting Com-Hart's Memo, on the readjustment of the petitions promoted by the Corps. He was 46 years of age at the time his death.

Gymkhana Club Meeting.

We are asked to state that the time for the fourth race at this meeting has now been changed to 5 p.m., and the fifth race to 5.25 p.m. Full particulars will be found on reference to our advertising columns.

Meteorological.

During the month of March the maximum temperature was 78.6 on the 27th, the minimum being 52.2 on the 19th and the mean temperature 63.2. For eight days there was no sunshine, and during hold, notice of which will appear in the eighteen days the sun only appeared six newspapers. Monday next is the opening night for times, and then the total length of time it Leavitt's Troubadours in Hongkong. The was visible was three hours. During the Signalling at Wagian. Company has just arrived from India and month 3.755 inches of rain fell.

the Straits where they played to full houses and gained excellent notices from the news- | Chinese Telegraph Service.

is made of Mr Will Landsdowne, a baritone, important telegrams are received, the conor 338.7 more than in 1902. The ing from all accounts the Company is an these telegrams shall be held responsible and cost \$2125. for anything that tends to betray secrets of any kind.

Nuisances from Smoke

It is notified in the Government Gazett amount of banknotes in circulation and of that on and efter June 1, steps will be taken to abate nuisances arising by reason of the emission of black smoke from the funnels of steamships within the waters o Average Specie in the Colony when the same is sent forth in such quantities as to come within the meaning of section 26, Sub-Section 12 o .... 3,172,620 2,000,000 the Public Health and Building Ordinance. No. 1 of 1903.

A Church Robbed. The Pasil Mission Church, Bonham Road, has been robbed twice during the past month. The first robbery occurred early in the month and a clock was stolen. An important auction sale was held Last week a quantity of Chinese robes were stolen, and yesterday morning another sttempt was made; this time, however, the thief was captured. He was seen to enter the Church and was preparing to leave with a pair of shoes and some articles of clothing when he was arrested. Inquiries into his antecedents revealed the fact that he had been banished from the Colony five years ago, having returned at the expiration of his sentence in January last. He, however, did not stay long before he began his thieving again, with the result that Mr Kemp sentenced him to three months' imprisonment, and ordered him to be again banished.

Chemists and Druggists. A notification appears in the Government Gazette to the effect that under the provisions of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance (No 1, 1903), Poison Bye. Eldorado left Port Townsend for Shanghai The flowers were prettily grouped, and law, No 6, paragraph 'A, the following on the 10th of January, and but for Thurs. made a fine show. The Masonic Hall was persons (being chemists and druggists duly day evening misfortune would have reach utilized for table decorations and also qualified under the English Pharmacy Act ed Woosung in 81 days—an excellent run. for vegetables. The first prize for of 1868) are exempted from the operation of Bre-laws 2, 3, 4 and 5 of the abovementioned Ordinance, when the article sold is an ingredient of any medicine sold by them, provided that, if the medicine contain a poison within the meaning of these Bye-laws, the ingredient of the medicine. together with the name of the person to whom it is sold or delivered, be entered in a book kept for that purpose, and that the name and address of the seller be attached to the medicine :- Messra H. Humphroys. J. R. Capell, W. Davies, H. G. McKilligan, A. P. Nobbs, H. S. Spurge, H. G. Stevens, A. Stevenson and W. G. Sutton.

KOWLOON LAND AND BUILD- BY ING COMPANY LIMITED.

Extraordinary General Meeting. An extraordinary general meeting of the Kowloon Land and Building Company, The fiftieth anniversary of the Battle limited, was held at noon to day, in the Company's office, Queen's Road.

Mr J. Goosman was in the chair, and there were present :- Messrs W. H. Gaskell, T. H. Reid, A. Shelton Hooper, J R. Michael, S. J. Michael, M. Northcots, T. F. Hough, J. C. Peter and E. B. Shepherd.

The Secretary having read the notice

convening the meeting the Chairman said,

-Gentlemen, you are mot here to-day to consider three resolutions altering our Articles of Association, one resolution increasing the fee payable to Directors from \$150 to \$500 per annum, the other resolutions making it only necessary that the accounts should be audited by one instead of two Auditors. When the Company was started the amount of fees allowed to the Directors was \$1.500, but at the suggestion of some of the shareholders the Arricles were altered and the fees reduced to \$150. the reason then being that it was not a dividend paying concern, and the late Mr H. J. Holmes in proposing the reduction said that if the Company were in a more flourishing condition he was perfectly sure the shareholders would not only be willing to pay the allowance provided for by the Articles of Association, but would thank the The death is recorded at Shanghai of Directors for their great care and trouble in that the total cost of erecting the Victoria Mr John Mossop, who was for two or three connection with the affairs of the Company. Hospital on Barker Road was \$118,891.05, years in the service of the Public Works this, and Mr J. H. Michael, in seconding The present shareholders now recognise the adoption of the report and accounts at our last annual meeting of shareholders, said he wished the Company would conerection of the new Law courts, and during sider the advisability of increasing the amount now payable to the Directors. With regard to the accord and third resolutions it is considered that the simplicity and shortness of the accounts do not warrant our employing two auditors. these remarks which I think explain all you require to know I would ask some

shareholder to propose the first resolution. Mr J. R. Michael proposed that in Article 81 the words' Five Hundred new transports, two destroyers and five Dollars' shall be substituted for the words | torpedoers. The Squadron carries nine One Hundred and Fifty Dollars.

Mr S. J. Michael seconded, and the motion was unanimously agreed to. Mr Peter proposed that in Article 102 the words 'an Auditor' shall be substituted for the words 'Two Auditors. Mr Shepherd seconded and it was carri

escaped unhurt. Mr J. R. Michael proposed, and Mr M. Northcote seconded, that in Article 108 the word 'Auditor' shall be substituted for the word 'Auditors,' which was carri-

The Chairman—That is all the business. gentlement Thank you for your at tendance. A confirmatory meeting will be

Last year, a flagstaff, 82 feet in height, was erected at Waglan Lighthouse, provided with a yard for signalling purposes The Waiwupu have given instructions The lower-mast is of steel, and uppermast artistes, and the entertainment given is of that in view of the many secrets that have and yard of Oregon pine, with stays of the polite Vaudeville. Excellent mention recently leaked out, hereafter whenever steel wire rope and all the requisite fittings and a winch, &c., for lowering the upper-Miss Chard, dancing, and the Zancigs, in | tents of these telegrams must be kept strictly | must. The work was carried out by the | and the millionaire newspaper proprietor, their exhibition of thought-reading. Judg- secret, and that the officers in charge of Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company, Mr Hearst, supported respectively by Mr

During the year 1903, a sum of \$6787 was spent by the Public Works Department in carrying on operations for ridding malarial districts of the anopholes mosquitoes. Everyone will agree that this money was well spont. This is exclusive of large sums spent in training nullahs-a work to which much importance is attached, as: means of preventing the dissemination malarial fever by mosquitoes, for the propagation of which the untrained streams afford highly favourable conditions.

Ship Badly Ashore.

The N.-C. Daily News of the 5th inst. reports :- The American schooner Eldorado (Cant. H. Smith), bound from Port Townsend to Shanghai with a cargo of lumber port which remains absolutely free. consigned to Messrs S. C. Farnham, Boyd and Co., Ld., went schore on the lower Middle Bank, about 11 miles N.N.E. of the Kiutoan Lightship, late on Thursday night. The news was received here on Saturday, and the Shanghai Tug and Lighter Company immediately dispatched a tug-boat and a cargo boat to render assistance, the Waitung returning to Shanghai on Sunday night with a large cargo o salved lumber on board. Latest reports are to the effect that the Eldorado is lying beam on and is in a very precarious position. The weather was very bad on Sunday and should it continue so there is a fear that she will break up. A considerable and was a great success. Dancing went quantity of her cargo has been jettisoned, merrily until the early hours. The balland on Sunday evening could be seen flosting room was tastefully decorated by various in all directions in the vicinity of the Light. friends. ship. Innumerable native junks are hovering round the stranded vessel, reaping a rich feet; and depth, 14 feet 9 inches.

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The time to cure it is when it is merely a bad cold. Chamberlain's Cough Re medy is highly recommended by the lead. I'm at the foot of my class. Whose fau't cures, and cures quidkly. For sale by all is it, then? It's Johnnie Shepherd's— chemists and medicine vendors: Wireless he's ill an can't come to school no more!" Ltd., General Arente.

# TELEGRAPH.

CHINA MAIL'S EXCLUSIVE SERVICE. SUPPLIED BY REUTER, PIG BOMBAY.

[Recoived on April 8 6.14 p.m.] ANGLO-FRENCH RELATIONS.

EGYPT AND MOROCCO.

Further Details. London, April 8.

Apart from the details already published of the Angle-French agreement recently concluded, France guarantees the freedom of British trade in Morocco for thirty years. The Los Islands off the coast of French Guinea, West Africa, are ceded by the British to France, also a strip of North Gambia, West Africa.

The agreement regarding the international differences in Egypt and Morocco is embodied in a special declaration, while all other questions are included in a separate convention.

> [REUTER'S SERVICE.] THE WAR.

Russian Naval Re-Inforcements. London, April 7.

St. Petersburg advices state that the Grand Duke Alexis' yacht Setliana in being converted into a cruiser. The woodwork is being replaced by iron, and she will join the squadron starting for the Pacific in June. The Squadron will consist of the Dimitri Donskoi, Oslyabia, Aurora, four new battleships of the Tsarcvitch type, two old and three new cruisers, two old and two submarines.

BOMB OUTRAGE IN SPAIN. A bomb was thrown at King Alfonso while on a visit to Barcelons. The King

THE ANGLO-FRENCH AGREE-

MENTS. Reuter's correspondent states that the Anglo-French negotiations have reached the closing stage. Lord Lansdowne and M. Cambon had the concluding conference to-day. A final reference will subsequently he made to Paris.

THE UNITED STATES.

An excited Presidential election campaign has begun in the United States. The Republicans will certainly nominate Mr Roosevelt. There are at present two Democratic aspirants, Chief Justice Parker Cleveland and Mr Bryan. The chief plank in Mr Hearst's platform is a relentless denunciation of Capitalists and Trusts, but Chief Justice Parker is most likely to be

[N.-C. DAILY NEWS SERVICE.]

CONDITION OF PORT ARTHUR. Major-General Dessino, Russian Military Agent, has courteously communicated to us the following telegram :--

PORT ARTHUR, April 2. On his arrival at Port Arthur the Imperial Lieutenant (Viceroy) Alexeieff visited the Czarevitch, Retvizan, and Pallad, the

forts, works, and hospitals. The outer roadstead is adorned with immense Japanese vessels perched on rocks, in the vicinity of the entrance to the The streets, the shops, and the works are full of animation. New arrivals are

shown as a curiosity some houses pierced by fragments of projectiles, not a single shell having fallen into any building what-Life at Port Arthur continues its habi-

PLANCON.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

AMOY NOTES.

A BACHELOR'S DANCE. Anoy, April 6.

A ball was given on Monday last, April , in the Club Theatre, by the Bachelors, HORTICULTURAL SHOW.

On April 5, the Amoy Horticultural barvest among the floating timber. The Show was held on the Recreation Ground. She is a wooden four-masted schooner of table decorations was won by Mrs. 881 gross and 794 net tonnage, and was Feeler, Mrs Von Aslat being second built in 1901 at McWhinney's yard. Aber. and Mrs Barton highly commended: We deen, Wash., U.S.A. Her owners are congratulate all our friends on the great Mesers Sanders and Kirchmann and her caste shown. Misses Wallace and Hempel port of registry San Francisco. Her dimen. | Obtained many prizes for flowers, etc., and sions are : length, 196 feet ; breadth 40 | great trouble must have been taken to produce such a fine show. We actually saw some strawberries and those delighted the children. All we lacked was a band

The officials were :- Judges: Vegetables: Mr. H. Lachlan and Dr J. Moorhead Flowers: Mesers G. Gray Donald, A. F. Gardiner and W. H. Wallaco, Committee .- Means G. Gray Donald A.

E. Gardiner and W. H. Wallace, WHERE THE PAULT LAY- Tain't my fault ing physicians for this malady. It always 1. The Lat. Prize was presented by A. D. Garlage, E.o., and the second by De H.

McDougall

March 19, 1904.

by all chemists and medicine vendors 6 WATKING Ltd., General Agents

The total cost of constructing the Jubi-

BIRTH.

MARRIAGE. The road is five miles long.

The China Mail.

HONGRONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 9, 1904.

tion Ld., close from this date to the 21st | the time of the members of the staff is | Land Tax has been favourably received by always fully occupied. The total the Court and apparently by Viceroy Yuan amount voted for Public Works was Shih-kai, but there will be tremendous op-\$1,899,130.07, and the amount actually position, and I hardly think it will be expended was \$1,349,532.14, of which adopted. the details are:--Personal Emoluments and other Charges, \$190,121.12; Annually Recurrent Works, \$529,579.98; Daily News of the 5th inst.) that Mr Extraordinary Works, \$629,831.04 Frank Pengelly, a popular member of the (the latter item exclusive of expen- Dallas Musical Comedy Company, was diture on Praya Reclamation works taken to the General Hospital yesterday and Government Piers). Most of the important works have been referred to by us during the past year, notably the

was an intermittent supply only on

137 days as compared with 205 days

in 1902, giving 228 days of constant

supply in 1903 as against 160 days in

buted to by the installation

enable about 20 million gallons

to be impounded in September.

Mr Chatham gives no opinion on

whole of the waterworks extensions

1896 have now been carried out, the

Gough and above the Military Hos-

pital site, Bowen Road. The Mount

Nine Epidemics.

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effecting a cure in the most severe and

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lain's Colic, Cholers and Diarrhees Remedy

family can afford to be without it, as,

espicially valuable for children. For

Remedy has been used in nine

211,500 gallons.

Reserve.

Total..... \$17,358,688 10,150,000

Important Land Sale. 1902. This result, though due to the incidence of the rainfall was contrito-day at Messrs Hughes and Hough's rooms, when Inland Lot No. 631 was sold. temporary pumping plant in Taitamtuk The lot was divided into two sections, the Valley and by the Taitam Bye-wash first comprising Nos. 62 and 64 First Reservoir being sufficiently advanced Street and Nos. 61 and 63 Second Street. while the second section was Nos. and 68 First Street and Nos. 65 Second Street. The property is held for the residue of a term of 999 years from the rider-main system, which gave rise December 26, 1860, at a Crown rent

Li and Sun Chan for \$10,650.

from a grand celebration of the affair, consequently the current rumnur that s "ale foreign loan may be negotiated for this

purpose, is probably not entirely baseless.

# THE RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR.

JAPAN'S PLANS SOLD BY A TRAITOR.

A Loyal Woman Saves The Country.

(From Our Special War Correspondent). Tokio, March 28.

Just as there are strange wisps of stran in the whitest of wheaten sheaves, as there are traitors in the midst of the most faith ful people, and though Japan walks the world to-day as the high-priest of loyalty folds of her white winding robes men wh would not manifest a suspicion of heait: tion in selling her into the most inglorious shame and degradation were the opportu nity given them. In piping times of peace the trade of treason languishes for very of affluent offers, but when the slogan of mortal strife is screamed throughout the land, and opulent enemies dangle bags of bribing gold, it rises up like noxious fungus born in fetid atmosphere of dank and reeking cellars.

Pour Japan! After months and months of wearying toil by day and hours of enervating effort by night in the preparation of plans for the discomfiture and defeat of he foes, she has been sold. Sold on the threshold of action, and sold, the story goes, by one of her army officers. Sold utterly, so shamefully, so completely as t ruin all her schemes of campaign on land to render necessary disastrous delay whilst the remodelment of plans take

The blow to officers is appalling-to the nation it is staggering. It almost makes men weep with mingled rage and shamefulness to think that one of their nationals would sell them on the verge of victory. Shattering the Russians on sea, they were ready to sweep them from the shores. Every detail in equipment had been settled; every route for troops to take had been fixed every strategical move had been arranged All that remained to be decided was th hour for the signal to advance. Infantry was impatient, officers were anxious, and the people of the country waited breathlessly with 'banzai' on their lips to shout a exrewell. Now there is sorrow and lamentation. With heads bowed down military leaders pender over new plans, suspicious of foreigners and friends alike, their previous elaborate secret schomes are no longer secret. They are in Russian hands purchased at the prices of 400,000 Yen. £40,000 is the value of Japan as fixed by the treacherous officer. For that sum, he was ready to give his flourishing country to the Muscovite and he might have succeeded in seeing the transaction successfully completed had not the loyalty of his wife saved the army from disaster and the nation from humiliating defeat. With all the proposed movements of Japan in he possession, counteracting efforts were easy of accomplishment by Russia, and the men of Nippon just missed the paralysing shock of capture and defeat by a hair's-broadth.

They were saved from the grave by the swift action of a little kimono-clad, clog-shod woman, a woman to whose nostrile the smell of treason was as repugnant as th sight of ill-gotten gold was to her eyes Fabulous wealth, though her husband poured into her lap, as it were, she scorned instantly, and preferred to go to her grave crowned with the profitless Inurels of honour, than live in luxury bought by the blood-stained proceeds of treachery. Out into the bleak, wet air of a night or two ago she ran, subbing with shame. Within the paper-windowed walls of her home sat her busband. Her two children gambolled at his knee, and spread before him on the white mat floor was money. Money in notes and silver. Such piles as he had never before seen -the price of his country. There he previously spread before the wondering eyes of his wife. Where did he get it! He told her. They would share it, he said, and leave for ever the hell of tell for the heaven of relaxationand blissful ease. But she screamed and fled. Down the rain-washed streets she ran to the wayside police box, and told the story of her husband's treachery. With clattering swords at running heels, officers followed the fleeing woman to her house. The children gambolled on the floor, but no response was made to the command of an officer by the man who was lying on mat near by. He was dead. The horrorstricken scream of his wife when he displayed to her his bribe, and her sudde flight to the street, brought home to him a sense of his shame, and filled him with fear of the vengeance which his countrymen would claim. He took his life, and left the money lying by his side for the use of those who might demand it. In another room, a low heart-thrilling mean was heard. A panel was shoved saids, and lying on a matting stained with blood was the woman. She was dead.

mained. The story spread abroad like Darling of the Gods, would be much such things do, but it was hidden from improved by the infusion of a little real foreigners as much as possible. Newspapers | Japanese life into it. did not refer to it, being ashamed to acknowledge that one of their countrymen who claim the Commonwealth as a home would do such a dastardly deed. That I now in Tekyo smote with the lust of war, something untoward had taken place only Some have come up with the idea that they lax their exertions and withdraw. dawned upon the correspondents when the would make excellent majors for the announcement was made that the departure Japanese army, others are here as correst floors being femily rooms. No insurance for the great development which has of the first batch selected to go to the front pondents, several have arrived with the was effected on any of the floors, with per- occurred in the trade and population of had been postponed.

asked eventually when days elapsed.

War Office.

persistent questioning in several quarters. From pieces here and fragments there, I learned the story, but for its truth in every detail I will not give a guarantee, though, in the main. I believe it is absolutely correct. The Japanese officers won't speak of it. good.

Their silence is not to be marvelled at. With the total collapse of the plans of eyebrows. câmpaign thus brought about, comes more delay in Tokyo for the correspondents. What they are to do with themselves only there are to be found in the sheltering a prophet can say, but no doubt the ingenuity of the Japanese, which has, up to date, been responsible for a certain amount of entertainment, will not fail now. They have been able to show such widely divergent types of things, Japanese and otherwise, as operations, opening of Diets, and geishs dancing-the latter taking place at the Maple Club the other nightand if they leave their visitors in the lurch now there are many, who have hitherto held the Japanese in high admiration, who will be direfully disappointed.

> ner, and correspondents were compelled to sount with toos tucked under, much after selves wonderfully well. The most deof courtesy shown by the uncanny chopsticks, which had the vile habit of flinging short. Lend it to me, and bill Black for tion was commenced in February, 1890; so ation :-pieces of meat into somebody else's lap it. instead of the mouths waiting wide open to receive them. Then the geisha girls, chubby little things with dimpled cheeks, who sat in front of everybody, laughed that tricky little sincere laugh of theirs which is of rollicking babies. The girls got a great deal of genuine fun out of the dinner if nobody e'se did, and it was as good to them as a visit to an excruciatingly funny comic would chase one another over the faces of guests as they either failed in a desperate effort to rescue a piece of meat from a bowl, or they cautiously tasted some peculiar-looking kind of food before them, was worth an hour's watching, and there was additional amusement afforded as a correspondent's curled up leg protested against the unking treatment by shooting out, as if made of steel bands, and kicking saké cups, soup towls, plates of fish, and boxes of confectionery all over the admiring geisha girl before him and the landscape in the unruly enough to do such a thing, but there were dozens which would have foregone many walking expeditions for the

after dinner, 'but a taste of the hardships you will have to undergo at the front.' 'No,' groaned many.

'Yes,' answered the speaker, 'but you must now come and see the geishas danc-

It was refreshing to see the alacrity with which veterans like Mr Maxwell and Mr Melton Prior jumped to their feet. Any excuse is good enough to get out of an awkward corner, and no one needs a sccond invitation to stretch limbs cramped

out of recognition by being sat upon. To see geishas dancing was only a secondary consideration, of course. But they dance well, and they are picturesque and unique. They would, it strikes one. make a profitable product for export, and are anti-alien to act as pioneers in the work of converting the unbelievers. It would not be long before the labour members of Australia succumbed. If the girls danced always as well as they did at the Maple Club, it would not take them many hours to dance their way into the hearts of Andy Kelly, Tom McGowan and others One rather striking dance they performed was the courtship of the cuttlefish and the shark-or some other denizen of the deep-and though it bore a striking resemblance to some of Williamson's pantomimes, it struck me as being particularly appropriate for performance at the Sydney Parliament House, Later on, the Goddess of the Sea came on. Her hair was of the ruddy red hue and trailed on the surmounted by a gaping-mouthed tin dragon them severely. When they strived at the means that the depth of the wall and she swept with graceful steps about the meanwhile.

with Sir Ian Hamilton and a lew of us on to the ground floor. Whon water was but the whole surface of the old Praya had who were sitting on the matting near by. It was her way of calming the correspondents. A dozen or so of such girls would In this house of death the officers re. be a great attraction in Australia, and The

Apropos of Australia, there are many checked and the fire confined to 158. ambition of becoming despatch riders, and Why has it been postponed? they cone in particular is a confidence trick man, the Columy. The origin of the fire is large sum, probably shout \$1,180,00 has of the type of the gentlemen who has unknown.

'Something has happened,' replied the | 'an uncle in Fiji,' The latter is a get-rich-quick man, and though his method Something had happened-and what it of accumulating money is neither new nor was came to my cars only after most worthy of recommendation, it has the merit of being speedy.

\*I've just secured the contract for a thousand horses from Australia for the Japanese Government, he bounces in apon some European mercantile gentleman; \* it's

'Yes,' says the merchant raising his

stand me in a considerable amount, I can \$2,895,831,35; West Point Reclamations. put my hand on the horses down Monaro way, and I can do them to the Government at half the price I'm being paid for them. t'a good. I tell you.

words a minute. The other man has not a the Reclamation scheme ;show of sneaking in a word sideways. 'I'm well related in Australia, you know,

Half brother to Ted Barton.

I'll let you. Now, I want you to lend me of the particular Section on which such At the Maple Club, the members of the some assistance. Here's the contract, and allotment is situated. It is therefore more Diet did the honors in a right royal way, and as soon as I can get £200 I'll close the deal. than probable that there will be a debit Will you lend it to me?'

notwithstanding that the meal was spread and shining belitopper.

pressing thing about the meal was the lack of Tokye has just recommended me to you. them and the Re-construction of Govern-ly. General unrest prevails. The gun I've got some business to do for him, and ment Piers. he wants me to pay a bill of £20. I'm ten | The actual construction of the Reclama-

> pears. That gentleman has been heard of Harbour such a reclamation could have in almost every open port in Japan, and been carried out in less than half the Far East, the Port Yingkow has been prois putting up an unenviable reputation time, as it would have been possible claimed under Martial Law. Until the

as catching as scarlet fever in a community years ago was with the Evening News. which extends throughout the entire 1 .- Martisl Law extends over the town He now writes war for the Chronicle frontage of the principal business part of and Port of Yingkow, and over the whole Then there is the irrepressible 'Smiler' the City, would have caused intolerable of the population without distinction of Hales. Fresh and blooming from the inconvenience and consequently it had to nationality, insurrecto camps of Macedonia, he comes be carried out by degrees. There were 2 .- The passengers and cargoes arriving But 'Smiler' is in the hot water, and for affected the progress of the work. opera. The collection of expressions which some reason or other he will probably be The original design of the new Praya and junks, having entered the mouth of there is a possibility of his being objected special plant, some of which had to be allotted to them by the Customs. to. Another Australian of whom there obtained from England. Although the are tracks-though he is not here now- rubble foundations for the Prays Wall is prohibited

Brotherhood of Man racket. In shop through the change in design, windows I have seen them, and on immediate vicinity. Only one leg was rency of the realm, and I certainly know for blocks, in the first instance, as tem- cargo will not be re-shipped from the

privilege of springing forth and smashing bournite-who has a keen eye to business, caused more for less spitlement of the 7.-Whendealing witharticles contraband that the Japanese have a great penchant and they generally reached a permanent | Majesty on the 14th February, 1904, are to i Organ Fund. 'It is,' said a Japanese during a speech for medals of any shape, size, or variety, bearing before the superstructure was com- serve as guidance.

> -or else a rainbow-and the Jap was de. tions made good, and the temporary load equipment, spagoing vessels, even whon lighted. He asked for it. He was refused. replaced. Had the temporary loading of flying neutral flags, but proceeding to the Private Sittings for It was of too great a value. Now the in- the foundations been dispensed with, it enemy's port for military purposes, ships surance man became obdurate. only one way of getting that modal, and level, and backed up with earth, would graph and telephone lines, eatables, beans,

We pay big bonuses, allow good rates, and great trouble and expense. more persuasion induced him to hold out his | which was experienced in 1892, when hand for the medal. He insured his life, doubts arose as to whether the Marine Lotand the nickelwas presented to him with lowners could fulfil their obligations in

useful to Mr Cole as a distributing me-W. H. DONALD.

FIRE IN WELLINGTON STREET.

A House Gutted.

Although the season when fires usually prevalent among the Chinese shops has now passed, occasionally the Fire Brigade are roused up to quell some outbreak or other. Early this morning, about 3.30 o'clock, an alarm was raised that a four storied house, No 138, Wellington Street, was ablaze. The brigade lost no time in getting two engines and the firefloat out, ground, and with a solemn-looking face but, as usual, want of water handicapped room where the dancing was done, the red rearing metrily on the second floor. Whilst hair flying round like furnace flames the waiting for water the brigade were helpless and could do nothing but watch the first structed from the old Prays Wall back-'She's calming the sea,' said a Japanese | creep up to the third and fourth floors.

The second floor was soon burnt And then she stepped out to shake hands through and the burning debris fell available the building was vell alight ever, by dint of hard and persistent effort the men gradually gained the upper hand but not before the top floor of the adjoining land has amounted to about \$2 to \$3 and house, No. 136, was alight. This was soon and central districts have realized \$8.78 less than an hour's time all danger was over, the fire being well in hand. Shortly

hape the exception of the second floor, the the Colony. In addition to the sum exoccupants of which are missing, having laft bended open the Reclamation Their.

PRAYA RECLAMATION.

An Interesting Record.

The expenditure on Praya Reclamation Works in 1903 was \$72,708, as compared with \$110,708 in 1902 and \$91,772 in 1801. Since the Reclamation was initated y Sir Paul Chater in 1889, a total area of 65 scree was reclaimed from the sea, the reclamation extending about two miles westward from the Naval Extension Works. Of this area 33.78 acres constitute building land. total length of the new Praya Wall is 10,263 feet. The total expenditure in entered the harbour to-day. They were all volved down to Slet December last was attended in passing Dark Arthur mosting & \$3,362,325.37. This amount is allocated 'Les, answers the man; 'It's going to as follows :- Original Imya Reclamation,

\$221,378.28; Re-construction of Government Piers, \$245,115.74. In his annual report on the Public Works Department in 1903, the Hon. W. Chatham He talks at the rate of five hundred gives the following interesting details of

The estimated cost of the Prays Reclamation alone was \$2,942,916.65; consequently, when all outstanding accounts 'Ted Barton,' the merchant exclaims, are paid, a small balance will probably remain to the credit of the scheme, notwith-'Well, he was the Premier. I always standing the great increase in the cost of call him Ted, though. And then there's work during the recent years due principally Jack See. You know I used to live near to the drop in exchange from 3/-, at which Jack on the Clarence once when he wasn't | rate the original estimate was made. The premier of New South Wales. Yes, there's | Ordinance provides, however, that the cost money in this horse business, and I'll tellyou | per square foot of any particular allotment what I'll do. You're a good man, and since is not to be fixed at the average cost of the I don't mind letting someone in with me, | whole Reclamation, but at the average cost balance on some of the Sections, but it is Sometimes the bluff works to the extent | certain that any such balance will only | Minister in response to the petition the manner of the tailor, they enjoyed them- upon them in all the glory of a frock coat progress, has been completed, and the necessary adjustments have been made Ah. Mr Brown, your friend Mr Black between the various sections or between

that about 14 years have been occupied in The £10 is forthcoming and he disap-lits execution. In an outlying part of the Australians is Mr M. Donohoe, who some in the case of the Praya Reclamation, brought into immediate operation.

is Mr Cole, of Book Arcade fame. All were being proceeded with while the special over the place are to be found medals plant was being obtained, a season's low of Japan or Korea any articles of military which he had struck off whilst he was tides were lost, and it may be said that the contraband, named in the accompanying MR A. G. WARD in Japan with a view to promoting his works suffered a year's delay, at the outset, list.

men's watch chains. I've even heard that for the wall was the substitution of blocks the Customs a sum as security equal to the some of them have been passed off as cur. for granite footings, with the view of using | value of the cargo as a guarantee that this of one which led to one man taking out a porary weights for loading and consolidat- neutral port to any port of Japan or Kores, ing the rubble foundations. This was a 6.-The light-ship and leading marks In Japan, there is an insurance agent— low and expensive process; but it was will temporarily not be put up at the mouth another Australian by the way and a Mel- justified by results. The temporary load of the river. He has been in Japan long enough to know | foundations throughout their whole extent, | of war the regulations sonctioned by His | and he always has several of the brother- menced. In same instances, however, the them cheap. One day he was, with honey. stage of the application of the load, that guided by the regulations and laws publishpanese to insure his life. The Japanese was quite complete, and in building the Provinces. was obdurate and could not see the advan- superstructure an allowance for further tage of it. The insurance agent com- settlement was made. In other instances, menced fingering a shining medal which the foundations suddenly collapsed, under was hanging on his chain. He drew the temporary load and, when the hapthe attention of the Japanese to it. It had a pened, the blocks had to be picked up articles for military carts, wire, ponto ans rising sun upon it - all of Cole's medals have | with the aid of divers, the rubble founds- | everything in connection with military appears likely that several lengths of wall, lengines and machinery boilers, coal, petro- | Satisfaction Guaranteed. 'Look here,' he said eventually, 'there's probably after being finished to coping lount, spirits of wine, materials for tele-

The Jap thought for a while, and a little | severe depression and scarcity of money | Mercury. becoming ceremony. Mr Cole's medals have | providing the funds necessary for the comshould be sent out to those countries who come in very handy for the insurance pletion of the authorised works. The letting agent, and the insurance agent should be of new contracts was postponed until it was decided that the scheme was to be gone on with and carried to completion and, before this decision was arrived at, a season's low tides were lost, causing practically a year's delay.

According to the original programme, the Reclamation was to be commenced simultaneously at both ends, and the works were to be carried on until they met in the middle: but owing to the refusal of the Lot-owners on Section No. 1w to come Ltd., General Agents. into the scheme, that portion of the Reclamation was not taken in hand until 1898. In earrying it out, the rubble foundations of the sea wall subsided repeatedly, and caused more trouble and delay than any

other equal length of foundations. Owing, however, to delays on the part of the Contractor for Section No. 6w. Mr. Tsang Keng, work on section No. 1w. was completed practically simultaneously with it, Much of the work performed on the Reclamation is invisible, the foundations of the Praya Wall extending down through water and wad to the hard ground. This rubble mound, from the top of the coping to the bottom of the foundations, varies from 27 to 80 feet. In addition to being extended out to the new Praya Wall, the Storm-Water Drains had to be reconwards, for distances varying from 100 to 1.450 feet. The aggregate of the areas of the Resismations outside the old Praya Wall has already been given as 65 acres to be raised, and portions of the surfaces of the adjoining streets. Thus the total from top to bottom, and small hope area dealt with was 80 scres, and the total was entertained of effecting a save. How- weight of materials used in the works may be put at something like 3 500,000 tons.

When it is mentioned that the cost of the entire work per square foot of building that portions of the land in the western in and \$20.00 per square foot, respectively, there can be no question as to the success of the scheme from a financial point of Who will appear nightly in their Wonderfu afterwards the brigade were enabled to re- view. The scheme has also been of great benefit in providing new and wide thorough-The ground floor of No. 138 was used as | fares throughout the principal portion of Silversmith a shop, the remaining three the City and in affording accommodation The Strongest, most Novel and Attractive

been spent in the erection of buildings on it

THE LATEST NEWS FROM NEWCHWANG.

> Protest by British Consul against Martlal Law.

NEWCHWANG, March 29. Five Bulterfield and Swire steamers from Shanghai arrived at the bar yesterday and after an overhaul from the Russians here stopped in passing Port Arthur, meeting 5 battleships a number of cruisers and torpedo boats-21 vessels in all. Blank shots were fired across their bows.

The Russians proclaimed currial law yesterday. The British consul notified his nationals that he had protested and had referred the matter to his Minister at Peking.' He advised that British subjects should, in the meantime, conform with the declaration.

The Russians have ordered the British flag, hoisted over the stables rented by the war correspondents, to be lowered. A British resident, who shot a mad dog

in his compound, was only saved from arrest for letting off fire-arms on his premises, by the intervention of a friend conversant with the Russian language. Mr A. Kroatler, of the Russo-Chinese Bank Berc, has been appointed French Consular Agent at this port.

A reply has been received by the British about the floor in a casual sort of man- of 50 or 100 pounds, and away he slides, amount to a small percentage on the British subjects for protection during forth-If it fails, he talks about Yekohama. He original estimated cost. The actual cost in coming hostilities. The Council has invited finds out the names of people the merchant any particular case cannot be exactly stated signatories to hear the reply read at the is accountinted with there, and he descends until the revision of the accounts, now in Consulate this afternoon. Its purport is not known now. It is not expected that the Japanese will

make an attack on Nowchwang immediate

boste aro still in dock. The following is the martial law proclam- of about 40 Gallons.

14/27th March, 1904. According to an order issued by the Viceroy of His Imperial Majesty in the to proceed with the entire work simul- publication of the said order, the following Amongst the correspondents who are taneously, but such an arrangement regulations shall be enforced, and are

forth to write nursle stuff on the new war. also other circumstances which seriously here are to undergo exactination, and for this purpose, all steamer, sailing vessels, refused permission to go to the front. Wall was prepared when Mr J. M. Price the river must anchor at the distance of This war is evidently going to be a select was at the head of the Public Works 5/2 miles below the forts. A steam launch, affair, so far as correspondents are con- Department. Just before the commence- tide permitting, and exclusively during cerned at any rate, and only those with ment of the Reclamation Works he was daylight, with a Naval and Customs Officer good reputations are to be permitted to succeeded by Mr S. Brown who made on board, will meet the vessels at that go. 'Smiler' comes out for the Daily some fundamental alterations in Mr Price's spot; they will examine the vessels and News, and he is a bit staggered to find that design necessitating the employment of conduct them to the berths which will be 4.—The import of arms and ammunition

4.-It is prohibited to export to any Port

5.—When exporting such articles to The principal feature of the new design | neutral ports, the shipper has to pay into

8.-Military and Civil Authorities of the hood-of-man medals on hand. He can buy settlement became so slow, during the later town and the port of Yingkow have to be ed words, endeavouring to persua 'e a Ja- the blocks were removed before settlement ed in S. 23 defining the administration of

(Signed) V. Grosse. LIST OF ARTICLES, CONTRABAND OF WAR, Arms, artillery guns, armour, ammunition, material for explosive purposes, all that is to insure yourself with my company. have collapsed, and had to be rebuilt at beancake, oil, rice, horses and other animals, cattle and in general articles for Hypnotism. Clairvoyancy and Magnetic Another cause of delay was the period of paval and military warfare .- Shanghai

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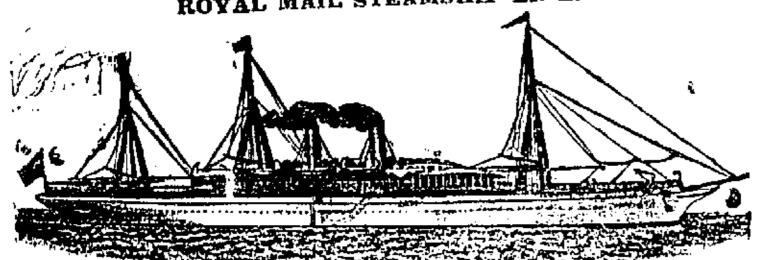
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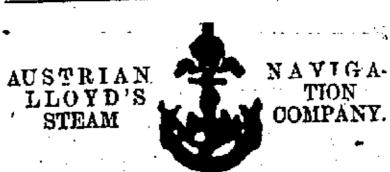
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Hougkong April 7, 1904.

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Hongkong, April 8, 1901.

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G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Agent. Hongkong, April 4, 1904.

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DODWELL & CO., LTD., Hongkong, April 5, 1904.

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RESERVE FUND-Sterling Reserve, \$10,000,000 Silver Reserve ... 6,500,000 RESERVE LABILITY OF \$10,000,000 l'ROPBIETORS .....

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T. P. COCHRANK Manager 234 - Hongkong, May 19, 1903

HUNGRONG AVERAGE MARKET

PRICES. Corrected to Thursday, April 7, 1904. At 100 cents per Dollar Menican.

Butcher Meat.

Beef sirloin & prime cut-Mei Lung Ps :.. 15 18 .. Corned-Ham Ngau Yuk .. Poast,-Shiu ... Breast,-Nagu Lam ,, Soup,-Tong Yuk ... Stoak,-Ngan Yuk Par -Outom Ngau Lau Sirloin ... ,, 26 Sausages, - Ngau Chaung Bullock's Brains,-, Siow Tongue fresh,-Ngau Li each 45 corned-Ram Ngau Li ... ,, 65 Head,-Ngau Tau ... lb. 9 Heart, -- Ngau Sum Hump, Salt-Ngau Kin

each 8

Kidneys,-Ngau Yiu Tail-Ngau Mei Liver,-Ngau Con Tripe (undressed)-Ngau To ... ,, Calves' Head and Feet-Ngau-chai-tau-kak, set 75 年仔頭風 Mutton Chop,-Yeung Pai Kwat ... lb. 25 .. Leg,-Yeung Pei ... ... , 24 .. Shoulder,-Young Shou ...

Feet,-Ngan Kerk

Pigs' Chitlings-Chi chong " Brains-Chi Know ... per set ... ,, Feet,-Chi Kork ,, Fry,-Chi Chak Head,-Chi Tau Heart,-Chi Sum ...

Kidneys,-Chi Yiu ... , Liver,-Chi Con ... Pork, Chop,-Chi Pai K wat Corned,-Ham Chu Yuk Leg,-Chu Pei ., Fat or Lard,-Chu Yau

Sheeps' Head and Feet,-Young Tau Kerk set 50 ,, Heart,-Yeung Sum ., Kidneys,-Yeung Yiu ... " Liver,—Yeung Con Sucking Pigs, To Order-Chu Chai

Suet, Beef, -Sang Ngau Yau ., Mutton,-Sang Yeung Yau ... Veal,-Ngau Chai Yuk ... Sausages,-Ngau Chai Yuk Tong ... , 15

Poultry. Chicken,—Kai Chai ...

Capons, Large, Small,—Sin Kai Ducks, -Ar Doves,-Pan Kon ... per dozen 18 Eggs, Hen –Kai Tan... Fowls, Canton,—Kai Hainan,-Hoi Nam Ucese, -Ngôi

Geese, Wild Sh'ai, -S'hai Yer Ngoi, Musk Deer,-Wong Keng Hare, Shanghai,—Tu Chai ... Partridge,—Ohe Khoo Pheasant,—Shan Kai Pigeons, Canton, -Pak Kup

Hoihow, -Hoi How Pak Rup. .. Quail, -Um-Chun ... Rice Birds,-Wo Fa Chenk Snipe, - Sa-Choy .... Turkeys, Cock - Phor Kai Kung ...

Wild Ducks, S'hai, -Shanghai Sui-ap pair Teal,-Sui Ap Chai, Wild Ducks, Canton-SangShing Sul Ap, ea. 21,25

Fisb.

Canton Fresh Water Fish,-Ho' Sin Yu . Carp,—Li Yu

Cathsh,—Chik Yu

Codfish, Mun Yu ... Crabs,—Hai .... Cuttle Fish, -Muk yu Dab.—Sa Mang Yu ... Dace,-Wong Mei Lun Dog Fish—Tit Tu Sa Eals. Congor. Hai Manu ...

Fresh water, Tam Siu Yu Gudgeon,-Pak Kup Yu Herrings,-Tso Pak ... Halibut,-Cheung Kwan Yu

Labrus, -- Wong Fa Yu

Louch, -- Wu Yu.

Lobsters,--Long Ha Mackerel,-Chi Yu ... Monk Fish, -- Mong Yu Mullet,-Ohal Yu Oysters, Sang Hoo Par otfish,-Kai Kung Yu Porch,-Tan Loc Pike -Fa Paw Poong Plaice Pau Yu

comfret, Black,-Hak Chone Pomfret, White, Pak Chong On Fixed Deposits for 19 months 4 Prawns -- Ming Ha ... Ray Pol Pa En ... Rock Fish -Sek Kan Kung

46 Ros. b .- Chun Yu ...

Salmon,--- Ma Yau Y Shark .-- Sa Yu

Skate, —Po Yu Shrimps,—Ha Soles, —Tat Sa Yu Turtles, small, fresh water,-Kerk Yu

Fruits.

White Bait,-Ngan Yu O

Almonds,-Hung Yan \_\_ ... Apples, (California)-Kam San Ping Kho, ,, (Chefoo)-Tin Chun Ping Khor Small,-Hoi Tong ... Custard,-Fan Lai Chi ... Bananas, fragrant, Canton,-San Shing Heung Chiu ... ... Bananas, (brides), Macao-San Heung Chlu Chestnuts, Chinese, -Foong Lut ... Carambola, -Yeung Tuo ... Cocoanuts, -Yeh Tsz... Lemons, China-Ning Moong

America-Kum San Ning Moon... Lichees, Dried-Lai Chi Con " Fresh- .. Limes, (Saigon)—Sai Kung Ning Moong... Mango, Manila-Lui Sung Mong ... Mango, Saigon-Sai Kung Moong... Man osteens,—San Chuk Taz

Oranges, (Canton)-San Shing Tim Chang Small,—Tai Kut ... Olives, -- Pak Lam ... ... Pears, (American),-Kam San Shut Li " (Canton), Cooking,-Sa Li ., (Shanghai), -Sheung Hai li Peanuts,--Fa Sang ... ... Persimmons Large,—Hung Chie ...

Pine-apples, 1st quality,—Shoung Poon Ti Paw Law ... 2nd cocking - Chung-tung-paw-law Plantains,-Tai Cheu Plums,-Swatow Hung Lai... Pumelo, Siam,—Chim Lo Yau Walnuts, -Hop Tuo Green,-Sang Hop Tuo ...

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Vegetables, &c.

Artichokes, Shanghai -Sheung Hat Ah Chi Cheuk ... ... Beans, (French), Macao, -Oh Moon Pin Ta " (French), Shanghai,—Sheung Hal Pin Tau ... Sprout, -- Ah Chol ... ... .. Long,-Tau Kok ... Best Root,-Hung Chor L'an Brinjals, Green,-Ching Yuen Ker Red,-Hung Ker ... Brassica, Pak Choi... Bamboo Shoots, -Cheuk Shun Cabbage, Chinese, com.—Kai Choy

Cabbage Root,-Kai Lan Tau Cabbage, (Shanghai),-Yeh Chol ... Cane Shoots, bunch,-Kau Shun ... Cauliflower, Large size, - Tai Yek Chol-la each 18 , Medium size,-Cheung Yeh Cho -fa ... Small size, Sai Yeb Ohoi Ba ....

Carrots,-Kam Shun Celery, Chinese, -Tong Kan Ohci English, -- Young ,, White,—Pak , , Chilies Dried, -Con Lat Chiu Red,-Hung Fa ...

Green,-Ching Lat Chlu Curry Stuff, English, "Ka Lee Chol Liu.... Quoumbers,-Ohing Kwa Bitter Squash,-Fu Kwa Garlic,-Suen Tau ... Ginger, young,-Sun Tez Keung old,-Lo Koung ...

Indian Corn.—Suk Mai Lettuce,-Young Sang Chol Water Chesnuts,-Ma Tai ... Mandarin,-Kwei Lum Ma Tal. .. Mushrooms, Fresh-Sang Cho Kho Onions, Bombay,-Yeung Ching su

Green,—Sang Churg

Horse Radish, S'hai-Lik Kan

Japan,-Yut Poon Parsley,-Kun Cho ... Gradus Pes,-Ho Lan Tan... Green Peas,-Ching Tan ... Potatoer, Sweet, -Fan Shu Shanghai, -Sheung Hal Shu Taal Japan,-Yut Poor Shu Tax

> American,-Fa Ki Foochow, Fuk Chan on Teal Macao, -Oh Moon

Spinnge, (Chinese)-Paw Cho. Spinach,-Yin Chol Tomatoes, Fan Ker Taros. -- Wu Tab Turnips, Punti, (Long), -Low Pal English -Jeung Low Pak Vegetable Marrow, -- Ohlt Kwa Water Oresses, -Sai Yeung Choi Lily toot,-Lin Ngan Yams.—Ta Sho

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洋生素

Pumpkin,-Toong Kwa Radish, Hung Lo Pak Teaf Rhubarb (Fresh)-Tai Wong Shalots .- Con Chung Tan

Shanghal, -Sneung Hai Chung Tau

## CHURCH SERVICES.

St. John's Cathedral. SUNDAY, AJ'RIL 10. IST BUNDAY AFTER EASTER.

Boly Communion (7.30 a.m.) Matina (11 a.m.):-Responses, Tallis Venite, Farrant; Paalma, Wickes, Elvey, Monk, Felton and Elvey Te Deum, Tours in F; Benedicitus, Langdon in F; Anthem, Awake up my Glory, Barnby; Hymns, 125 and 130.

Evensong (5 45 p.m.):-Responses, Tallis; Psalms, Goss, Wickes, Croft, Crotch, and Heathcote; Magnificat and Nune Dimittie. Maunder in D; Anthem. They have taken away my Lord, Stainer; Hymns, 499 and 137; Vesper Hymn, Ward (No. 1).

Union Church. No. 10; Te Deum, No. 10 (Pye and Goss); Anthem, 'Abide with me,' Barnby; Hymn, 508; Hymn, 235. 6 p.m.: Hymps, 18, 164, 509, 172, 617

St. Peter's Church, Queen's Road | General. - Douglas STRAMBUIP Co. Holy Communion (7.30 s.m.) Matins (11 n.m):- Vanite, Humphreys;

To Deum, Jackson ; Jubilate, Crotch; Нутапа, 46, 138, 593, 274. Evensong (6.30 p.m.):-Magnificat, Rus- Mirs Bay. sell; Nunc Dimittis, Hymne, 49, 135, 595, 65.

The Church launch Danspring will call on the ships carrying white crews to bring friends ashore to the services between 9.15 and 10.30 a.m., and between 5.15 and 6 p.m. (Kowloon Police Pier 10.30 and 6), returning afterwards. The answering pennant is the 'call flag.' All the sittings are free and unappropriated, Visitors welcome, hymn Books, &c.,

provided. Sunday School : -10-10.45 a.m.

Wesleyan Garrison and Naval Church. Wanchai Sunday :-- 10. ·6 a m.

Sunday afternoon: -3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class Sunday evening :- 6 p.m. Thursday 7.30 p.m.: - Bible Class.

Gospel Hall, 6 Arsenal Street. Meetings are held as follows :--Sunday :- Acts 2.42,11 a.m Gospel Ad dress, 6 p.m. Tuesday :-- Soldiers' & Sailors' Bible Class

6 p.m. Thursday: General Bible Class, 6 p.m. Saturday :- Prayer Meeting, 6 p.m.

Sundays, Naval Depot. Kowloon.

Evensong :- 6 p.m. Holy Commumon, 3rd Sandays : Ram Peak Church.

Ho'y Communion :- 8 a.m. Deutsche Kirche

HALL OF UNION CHURCH, KENNEDY ROAD Deutscher Gottesdienst :- 9 45 a.m. Union Church, Kowlonn.

BOBINSON ROAD. Sunday Schoo :- 4 p m. The Evening Services, which have been held during the winter, are now suspended, and will not be held until further notice.

TEMPORABILY IN THE BRITISH SCHOOL,

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Quotations. Hongrong, April 9, 1904, Old Patna, ceah, New Benares, cash, ...... 13421 Old Benares, cash, ..... Msw Malwa, oredit, ...... 920/950 Allowance. Taels, ...... Allowance Tasis. Allowance, Pacis, Bewance, Taels, Persian Paper tied, ..... 680/900 Mowance, Tall heavy seed and the

# SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

April 8. Carl Menzell, German steamer, 983, J. Janesen, Singapore April 1, General and Dynamite.—Sanden, Wielen & Co. Charterhouse, British steamer, 1,200, G. Kinghorn, Singapore April 2, General .--CHINESE.

April 9. Chi Yuen, Chinese steamer, 1,177, C. Stewart, Shanghai April 5, General .- C. M. S. N. Co.

Rein, Norwegian str., 726, Hans Olsen, Bangkok April I, Rice,-CHINESE, Triumph, German str., 769, A. Hansen, Swatow April & General, -OBAKA SHOSEN Kaiena.

Jason, British str., 7,500, T. G. Steeves, 11 a.m.: -Sanctus, No. 232; Hymn, Glasgow, via Liverpool and Singapore April 4, General. - BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Chow Tai, German steamer, 1,115, H Textor, Bangkok April 1, via Swatow 8, Rice. - BUTTERVIELD & SWIRE.

> Thales, British str., 890, A. J. Robson, Foochow, via Amoy and Swatow April 8, Marin Le, Italian barque, 1,118, D. Urso, Freemantle Feb. 7, Sandalwood.-

Alacrity, British despatch-vessel, from

Tungshing, British str., from Canton,

DEPARTURES.

April 9.

Ballagrat, for Europe, &c. Shrewsbury, for Yokohama. Zafiro for Manila. Prometheus, for Bangkok. A dendeard, for Mo.i. Chapsen, for Canton. Hailon, for Haibowy Lycemoon, for Shanghai. Rentauers, for Nagasaki.

CLEARED. Ujina, for Sincapore. Nanuana, for Newchwang. Johanne, for Ho bow. Frithjof, for Swatow. Charterhouse, for Amoy. Tun shing, for Ningpo. Artemisia, for Yokoh ma. Brunhilde, for K be-

> PASSENGERS. ARRIVED,

Per Charterhouse, from Singapore, 50

DEPARTED. Per Ballagrat, from Hongkong: for Bon bay, Mesers D. - D shi and B. D Tata f r Macseilles, Mrs D. J Davies for La don, Mr Chas. Freeman, Sergts. Brazi Brow e. Cashman, Davitt, Earner, Lena, han, and McKenzie, Surgeon and M Norris, Mr R. G. Scorgins, R. N., Comd E B Kidd e, R.N., Mr F. G. Langfor Mr Edward Wyon, Consul General Leo Guislain, Madam Gu slain, Mr Rege Guislain, Mr Paul Guislain and 2 childre Mr J. Mitchell, Condr. F. F. Dean, Liet Disney, R.G.A., Midshipmen Ernest V Kirby, and Mr J S. Pl nt. From Shan hai : for Bomb y, Mr Gopee Chande ; f Marseilles, Dr Laugford, Mr H. V. Bourb n. and Mrs Carrardy ; for London, Mr | Suh and Mrs T. Johns and child Bishop Cassells. Mrs and Miss Cassells and 5 children, Mr and Mrs W. G. Brown, Mrs D. C. Lloyd William and 4 children, Mrs Riches, Mr S. Lewis, Miss Wober, Mesars S. T. Cohn

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SHIPPING REPORTS.

The Chinese steamer Chiquen reports: Left Shanghai April 5th, at 4.20 p.m., experienced light Northerly winds, overcast and cloudy weather, smooth water to Kupchi Point; thence to arrival, light and variable winds and fine weather.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close!— For NINGPO & SHANGHAL.— Per Tringshing, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 10th April. For KOBE.-

Per Brunhilde, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 10th April. For KONGMOON, KUMCHUK & SAM-SHUL-

the 10th April. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOM-BAY.— Per Capri, at 11 a.m., on Morday, the 11th April.

for SWATOW, AMOY & FOOOHOW. Per Haitan, at 9 a.m., on Tuesday, the 12th April. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL. OUTTA.— Per Kumsang, at 2 p.m., on Wednesday, the 13th April:

For MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA & PORTLAND (OR.)-Per Nicomedia, at 11 a.m., on Thursday, the 14th April. For KOBE. Per Anhui, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the 14th April

Per Rubi, at 9 a.m., on Saturday, th Uncil further notice the transmission of correspondence via Dalay and the Trans-

Biserian Rallway is discontinued.

# Merchant Vessels in Bingkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into elevan Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h, near the Kowloon shore k, and those in the body of the Sn pping of midway between each shore are marked o., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works. 2. From Cas Works to Jardine's Whart. 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour's Offices 4. From Harbour Manter's to the Market, 5. From The Market to Feddac's Wharf.

6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Kaval Yard.

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Building: 8. From Blue Buildings to East Point, 9. From Kellet's Island to North Point. 10. Kowloon Wharves. 11. Jardine a Whari.

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The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of India arrived at Nagasaki at 6.30 p.m. on Thursday, the 7th April, and left again at a a m. on Friday for Shanghai, where the is due to arrive at 5 p.m. on Saturday, the 9th April.

The Glen Line s.b. Glen hiel left Singspore on the 7th April, and may be expected here on the 12th April. The A. A. s.s. Claverley, from New York

&c., left Singapore on the afternoon of 30th March for Manile, and is due here on or about the 13th April ? P. & A. steamer Indravelli arrived at Yokohama on April 4th, and may be expected here on or about 14th The Indo-China S. N. Co. Ld.'s d.s. Lai-

sang left Calcutta for this port via The Straits on 1st April, and may be expected here on or about the 17th The E. & A. steamer Empire left Sydney on the 30th March, for Queensland

Ports and Hongkung. The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Tartar left Vancouver, B.C., for Hongkong, via the usual port of call, on Thursday, the 31st March. The B.S. Gregory Apcar, from Calcutta, left | Hongkong Observatory :-

Singapore for this port on the afternoon of 7th April. The O. N. Co.'s steamer Anhui left Port SW. Japan.

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> Latest Advices. The chartered c.s. Kelvin, from London &c., left Singapore for this part on the 8th April, at 1 p.m., and is et-The O. & M. steamahip Rubi left Manila

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WEATHER REPORT. The following notice is issued by 

Cores, moving ENE.

On the China Coast the NE. monsoon is Manils ..... on April 5th, at 5 p.m., and may be steep Fresh NE, winds will be met with Forecast:-Moderate NE. winds; cloudy.

Better than a Plaster PIECE of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balin and bound pected to arrive here on the 15th to the affected parts is superior to any April, at 5 p m. This steamer brings plaster. When troubled with a lame back, the cargo originally intended for Sado for pain in the side or chest; give it a trial and you are cert in to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. . In every community it is a frequent cocurrence for some one to be burned or due here on Monday the 11th April, I scalded. The best treatmost is Chamberlain a Pain Baim, which almost instantly The C. P. R. Co. a. a. Respress of China relieves the pain and quickly heals the left Tokohama on Briday alternoon, injured parts. For sale by all chemists and

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> J. I. PLUMMER, Chief Assistant Hongkong Observatory, April 9, 1904.

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